

Larger Summer Play Program Scheduled Here

With summer just a few warm days ahead, the Torrance Recreation Dept. is putting the finishing touches on what promises to be the biggest summer recreation program.

Beginning in June, the department will offer a wide variety of crafts in their Craft Center (The old City Hall) including children's art classes. Crafts for adults in the areas of mosaics, copper enameling and silk screening.

Expanded Program
Parks and playgrounds will boast an expanded program for vacationing boys and girls including music, drama, dance, day camp, cook-outs, field trips, and a new exciting venture, "show-wagon." Of course sports of every variety will be

a part of the supervised activities.

The Victor E. Benstead plunge will open June 16 for a splashing good time in such activities as synchronized swimming classes, diving, junior life saving and other swimming classes for all ages. The pool is also the location of the department's annual Aquacade held in August in conjunction with the city-wide Rancho Days celebration.

Golf Lessons
Sea-Aire Golf Course will offer golf lessons for teenagers in the mornings and evening classes for working men and women. In addition to the classes held at Sea-Aire, the instructors will take their golf equipment and knowledge of the game, to parks and play-

grounds for beginning lessons to boys and girls.

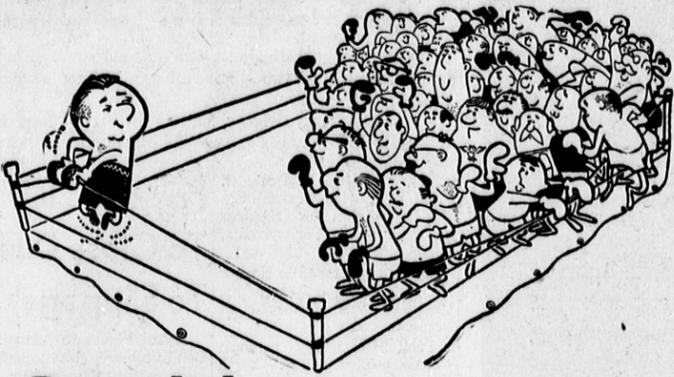
These activities and many more will help to provide the best in recreation for all ages during the summer months.

L.A. Will Obtain Land For Street Extension

Acquisition of the right-of-way for improvement of Lomita Blvd. between Normandie and Western Aves. has been approved by the Los Angeles City Council.

As much of the acquisition as can be made with available funds was given a green light, but an additional \$68,000 for additional improvements will be held over until the 1958-59 capital improvement program is drawn up.

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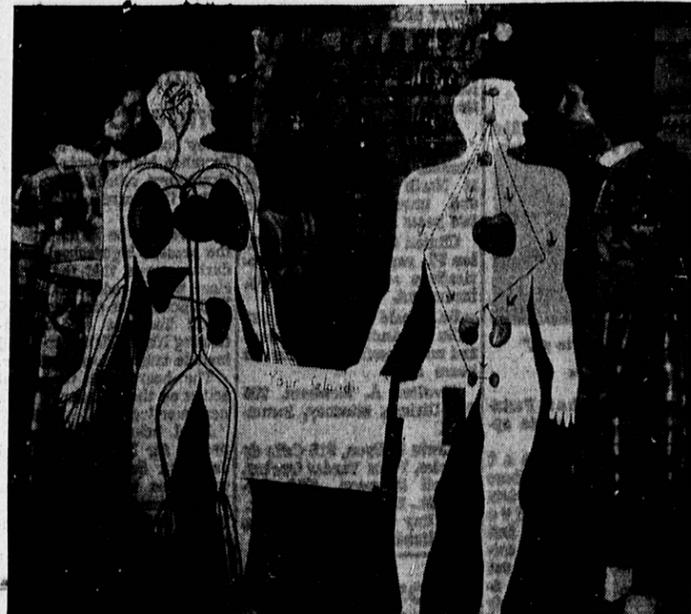
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SHOPPER'S LUCK . . . Jim Dandy's newest, and largest, market was opened here Thursday morning by civic leaders and store officials. Left to right, are Norman McCreary, manager; Mayor Albert Isen; Sharon Starnes, Miss Torrance; Bonnie Brown, Miss Lomita; Mickey Frankenburg, market supervisor; and Mrs. Alice Thomas, pioneer resident of the area and the new market's first customer. (Herald Photo)



SHOPPER'S LUCK . . . Mrs. G. Byron, of 2118 Martina, shops by candlelight (she's holding it in her left hand) Friday evening at the new Jim Dandy store at Hawthorne and Sepulveda as a power failure darkened the giant market. Checkers worked the stands by the light of lanterns, and flashlights were in use until portable flood lights could be set up. (Herald Photo)

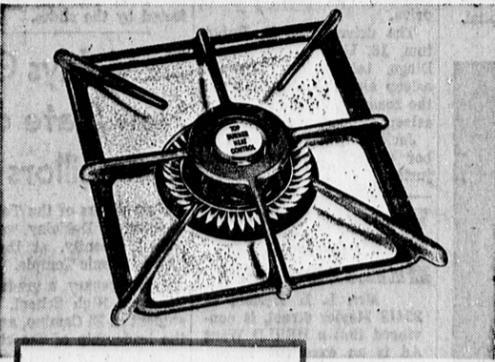


THIS SCIENCE FAIR . . . Four students from Sepulveda School look over some of the exhibits at the Torrance High School Science Fair held Friday. Looking over a prize-winning exhibit on the human body from Carr School are Sherry and Carry Spiane, while in the background, Denise Wadley and Mike Patton study a display on the embryo of an egg from Torrance High. Some 300 exhibits from local schools were included. (Herald Photo)

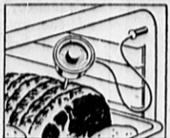
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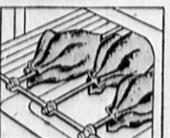
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CANCER CRUSADERS . . . Making plans to march for cancer funds this Tuesday night from 6 to 9 p.m. are Mrs. Roy Stinchcomb, area chairman, Mrs. Dorothy Perkins, and Mrs. Joseph Orchard. Ladies will march throughout Torrance, stopping to get funds wherever the porch light is on. (Herald Photo)

Red Cross Plans Annual Dinner Meet

Plans for the Torrance-Lomita branch of the American National Red Cross annual June dinner meeting were discussed by the board of directors at a meeting held Monday evening at the Palms.

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Stanley Remelmeyer, local branch chairman, appointed Hanley Rogers as chairman of the dinner committee. He will be assisted by Mrs. Gordon Jones and Mrs. Thomas Hayton.

Reports by Dr. Don Moshos, fund drive chairman, and Mary Pagac, residential chairman, highlighted the business meeting.

A nominating committee headed by W. A. "Dick" Felker, was named to select a slate of officers for next year. As-

sisting Felker will be Dr. Moshos and Remelmeyer.

The serious need for volunteer workers to serve as staff aides in the Torrance office and to participate in the local disaster relief program was pointed out by Chairman Remelmeyer. Persons interested in working with the Red Cross may contact the office at 1347 El Prado in downtown Torrance, he said.

Harvey Aluminum Has Small Fire on Friday

Some minor damage to electrical circuits and a hydraulic press was reported Friday as the result of a fire at the Harvey Machine Corp., 19200 S. Western Ave. The blaze, extinguished by company employees while Los Angeles and Torrance units stood by, was in a press pit. No injuries were reported.

Schools Post Sump Guard

A guard has been posted around a drainage sump at Calle Mayor School, now under construction, to prevent children from playing in it until a fence can be built.

Flooded conditions in the Walteria Lake area have prevented completion of a 10-foot fence around the school sump, officials said. Although letters were sent to parents of children in surrounding areas warning them of the danger, some children have continued to play there, they reported.

As a result, a school employee has been assigned to guard the sump area until the water recedes enough to allow construction of a fence.

Car Tools Taken

Syd Carpenter, 21812 S. Figueroa St., reported a wheel and tire and a box of tools were stolen Thursday from his car parked in front of 1734 W. 234th St., local police said. Value of the stolen property was estimated at \$325.

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